REPAIRED 4-8-80

PEDERAL GOVERNMENT

March 4. 1980

Honorable Les Aspin House of Representatives Washington, D. C. 20515

Dear Congressman Aspin:

Your communication of February 4th, on behalf of Deputy Chief Joseph Harrotta, has been received.

I have determined from our Milwaukee Office that it has presented the facts in this matter to the United States Attorney's Office which declined prosecution on February 7th, 1980. Any further activity in this regard should be brought to the attention of our office located in Room 700, Federal Building and U. S. Court House, Milwaukee, Wisconsin 53202, and it wil be presented to the United States Attorney for further consideration.

Your enclosures are being returned as requested.

Sincerely yours,

Francis M. Mullen, Jr. Assistant Director Criminal Investigative Division

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Exec AD Inv. NOTE: Bufiles contain no record of Exec AD LES — and no pertinent information concerning Deputy Chief Joseph H. Trotta. Mr. Trotta's communication contains letters written by which appear to be extortionate in nature Crim. Inv. and are very obscene. The Milwaukee Office presented the facts concerning this matter to the United States Legal Coun. __ Attorney,'s Office which declined prosecution on 2-7-80 Plan. & Insp. - as the threats did not appear to be real at this point; - however,//M/ continues in this regard, further considera-Tech. Servs. _

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